

S0504: Selected Characteristics of the Foreign-born Population by Region of Birth: Africa, Northern America, and Oceania
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Geographic Area: Hawai

NOTE. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see Survey Methodology.

Subject	Total	Margin of Error	Foreign born; Born in Africa	Margin of Error	Foreign born; Born in Northern America	Margin of Error	Foreign born; Born in Oceania	Margin of Error
Foreign-born population	210,162	+/-10,411	1,280	+/-621	6,857	+/-1,929	15,756	+/-3,721
CITIZENSHIP AND PERIOD OF ENTRY								
Naturalized citizen	57.4%	+/-2.5	58.2%	+/-24.5	34.5%	+/-12.4	20.2%	+/-6.9
Entered 2000 or later	2.9%	+/-0.7	0.0%	+/-12.1	0.0%	+/-2.4	2.6%	+/-2.1
Entered 1990 to1999	11.3%	+/-1.2	24.5%	+/-21.1	9.0%	+/-7.9	3.0%	+/-2.9
Entered before 1990	43.2%	+/-2.3	33.7%	+/-22.8	25.5%	+/-9.9	14.7%	+/-5.8
Not a citizen	42.6%	+/-2.5	41.8%	+/-24.5	65.5%	+/-12.4	79.8%	+/-6.9
Entered 2000 or later	21.3%	+/-2.2	N	N	32.3%	+/-17.0	58.4%	+/-10.3
Entered 1990 to1999	10.6%	+/-1.2	N	N	15.9%	+/-9.2	8.6%	+/-3.6
Entered before 1990	10.8%	+/-1.4	N	N	17.3%	+/-8.8	12.7%	+/-5.2
SEX AND AGE								
Male	41.8%	+/-1.5	50.5%	+/-18.6	38.4%	+/-9.3	43.6%	+/-5.3
Female	58.2%	+/-1.5	49.5%	+/-18.6	61.6%	+/-9.3	56.4%	+/-5.3
Under 5 years	1.2%	+/-0.5	N	N	0.0%	+/-2.4	3.8%	+/-2.3
5 to 17 years	6.7%	+/-1.0	N	N	11.5%	+/-9.1	22.0%	+/-7.9
18 to 24 years	6.4%	+/-1.0	N	N	4.0%	+/-3.3	7.9%	+/-5.4
25 to 44 years	34.5%	+/-1.7	N	N	36.0%	+/-9.9	38.3%	+/-5.8
45 to 54 years	17.3%	+/-1.3	N	N	21.4%	+/-9.2	15.0%	+/-5.1
55 to 64 years	15.4%	+/-1.0	N	N	12.4%	+/-5.6	4.9%	+/-2.9
65 to 74 years	10.2%	+/-1.0	N	N	8.2%	+/-5.7	4.8%	+/-2.9
75 to 84 years	6.6%	+/-0.8	N	N	5.7%	+/-3.8	2.9%	+/-2.7
85 years and over	1.6%	+/-0.5	N	N	0.9%	+/-1.4	0.3%	+/-0.4
Median age (years)	45.5	+/-0.9	39.4	+/-28.4	44.3	+/-8.6	32.9	+/-3.9

RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN								
One race	97.6%	+/-0.9	100.0%	+/-12.1	95.9%	+/-3.7	89.6%	+/-9.5
White	10.4%	+/-1.2	N	N	N	N	N	N
Black or African American	0.6%	+/-0.4	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian and Alaska Native	0.0%	+/-0.1	N	N	N	N	N	N
Asian	79.0%	+/-2.0	N	N	N	N	N	N
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	5.9%	+/-1.5	N	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race	1.7%	+/-0.6	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or more races	2.4%	+/-0.9	0.0%	+/-12.1	4.1%	+/-3.7	10.4%	+/-9.5
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	4.2%	+/-0.9	N	N	N	N	N	N
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	9.0%	+/-1.1	61.9%	+/-26.5	91.9%	+/-5.1	9.3%	+/-4.3
HOUSEHOLD TYPE								
In married-couple family households	66.1%	+/-3.1	58.1%	+/-26.4	72.8%	+/-11.8	62.7%	+/-14.4
In other households	32.0%	+/-3.0	41.9%	+/-26.4	24.9%	+/-11.5	35.1%	+/-14.5
Average household size	3.38	+/-0.15	2.04	+/-0.69	2.27	+/-0.41	4.1	+/-0.54
Average family size	3.86	+/-0.15	2.65	+/-0.85	3.03	+/-0.44	4.62	+/-0.48
MARITAL STATUS								
Population 15 years and over	197,280	+/-8,994	1,209	+/-560	6,067	+/-1,560	12,016	+/-2,534
Never married	18.4%	+/-1.7	16.5%	+/-13.2	10.5%	+/-7.3	20.5%	+/-7.0
Now married, except separated	64.2%	+/-2.1	60.5%	+/-23.6	66.3%	+/-12.0	67.4%	+/-8.2
Divorced or separated	9.2%	+/-1.2	23.1%	+/-19.7	15.5%	+/-8.1	7.4%	+/-4.8
Widowed	8.2%	+/-0.9	0.0%	+/-12.7	7.7%	+/-6.5	4.6%	+/-3.7
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT								
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	27,957	+/-3,482	346	+/-310	1,246	+/-881	3,677	+/-1,730
Nursery school, preschool	1.4%	+/-1.1	N	N	N	N	N	N
Elementary school (grades K-8)	33.9%	+/-5.1	N	N	N	N	N	N
High school (grades 9-12)	20.4%	+/-4.6	N	N	N	N	N	N
College or graduate school	44.3%	+/-4.7	N	N	N	N	N	N
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT								
Population 25 years and over	179,994	+/-8,340	883	+/-429	5,791	+/-1,492	10,448	+/-2,160
Less than high school graduate	21.8%	+/-1.6	4.4%	+/-7.3	9.2%	+/-8.5	16.4%	+/-7.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	27.5%	+/-2.1	19.4%	+/-16.0	23.9%	+/-12.8	46.0%	+/-10.4
Some college or associate's degree	27.2%	+/-2.0	37.5%	+/-23.2	39.3%	+/-11.3	24.9%	+/-8.0
Bachelor's degree	17.5%	+/-1.5	28.2%	+/-17.0	19.2%	+/-9.4	8.3%	+/-5.8
Graduate or professional degree	6.0%	+/-0.9	10.5%	+/-12.6	8.3%	+/-4.6	4.4%	+/-2.8

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH								
Population 5 years and over	207,603	+/-9,972	1,280	+/-621	6,857	+/-1,929	15,151	+/-3,495
English only	17.7%	+/-1.8	34.1%	+/-22.6	87.4%	+/-7.7	20.9%	+/-8.5
Language other than English	82.3%	+/-1.8	65.9%	+/-22.6	12.6%	+/-7.7	79.1%	+/-8.5
Speak English less than "very well"	49.7%	+/-2.3	N	N	N	N	41.0%	+/-7.6
EMPLOYMENT STATUS								
Population 16 years and over	196,153	+/-8,916	1,161	+/-538	6,067	+/-1,560	11,980	+/-2,534
In labor force	62.8%	+/-1.7	72.7%	+/-18.2	69.5%	+/-9.5	58.1%	+/-9.9
Civilian labor force	61.6%	+/-1.8	63.0%	+/-21.2	69.5%	+/-9.5	56.0%	+/-10.3
Employed	59.7%	+/-1.7	N	N	66.8%	+/-9.4	55.9%	+/-10.2
Unemployed	1.9%	+/-0.5	N	N	2.7%	+/-4.3	0.1%	+/-0.2
Percent of civilian labor force	3.1%	+/-0.7	N	N	3.9%	+/-6.0	0.2%	+/-0.3
Armed Forces	1.2%	+/-0.4	9.6%	+/-15.0	0.0%	+/-2.7	2.1%	+/-1.8
Not in labor force	37.2%	+/-1.7	27.3%	+/-18.2	30.5%	+/-9.5	41.9%	+/-9.9
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	117,169	+/-6,828	732	+/-423	4,050	+/-1,227	6,691	+/-1,938
CLASS OF WORKER								
Private wage and salary workers	80.5%	+/-1.7	N	N	61.5%	+/-14.6	79.1%	+/-10.1
Government workers	11.7%	+/-1.6	N	N	20.8%	+/-13.6	14.0%	+/-9.1
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	7.7%	+/-1.0	N	N	17.7%	+/-10.2	6.6%	+/-4.7
Unpaid family workers	0.1%	+/-0.1	N	N	0.0%	+/-4.0	0.2%	+/-0.5
OCCUPATION								
Management, professional, and related occupations	23.7%	+/-1.9	N	N	42.7%	+/-13.2	18.2%	+/-9.5
Service occupations	33.1%	+/-2.7	N	N	11.7%	+/-10.4	37.3%	+/-11.8
Sales and office occupations	23.5%	+/-2.3	N	N	34.3%	+/-16.1	25.1%	+/-10.7
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	3.0%	+/-1.0	N	N	0.0%	+/-4.0	0.9%	+/-1.5
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	7.7%	+/-1.3	N	N	3.8%	+/-4.0	6.7%	+/-4.2
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	8.9%	+/-1.4	N	N	7.6%	+/-6.9	11.8%	+/-5.1

INDUSTRY								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	3.3%	+/-1.0	N	N	N	N	1.4%	+/-2.0
Construction	5.6%	+/-1.1	N	N	N	N	4.0%	+/-2.8
Manufacturing	3.7%	+/-1.1	N	N	N	N	0.0%	+/-2.4
Wholesale trade	2.8%	+/-0.8	N	N	N	N	0.6%	+/-1.1
Retail trade	11.8%	+/-1.6	N	N	N	N	20.0%	+/-10.9
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	4.0%	+/-0.8	N	N	N	N	5.4%	+/-5.2
Information	0.9%	+/-0.4	N	N	N	N	1.2%	+/-1.5
leasing	5.1%	+/-0.9	N	N	N	N	3.7%	+/-4.4
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	10.7%	+/-1.4	N	N	N	N	12.2%	+/-6.0
assistance	16.6%	+/-1.7	N	N	N	N	17.7%	+/-10.7
and food services	24.8%	+/-2.4	N	N	N	N	22.0%	+/-8.5
Other services (except public administration)	5.7%	+/-1.1	N	N	N	N	6.7%	+/-5.4
Public administration	4.9%	+/-1.3	N	N	N	N	5.2%	+/-5.0
EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2006 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) FOR FULL-TIME, YEAR-ROUND WORKERS								
Population 16 years and over with earnings	81,929	+/-5,932	520	+/-321	2,343	+/-964	4,613	+/-1,610
\$1 to \$9,999 or loss	2.1%	+/-0.9	N	N	N	N	3.3%	+/-5.7
\$10,000 to \$14,999	9.3%	+/-2.2	N	N	N	N	10.7%	+/-8.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	22.3%	+/-3.0	N	N	N	N	42.4%	+/-16.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	21.1%	+/-2.9	N	N	N	N	19.0%	+/-9.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	21.4%	+/-2.8	N	N	N	N	15.7%	+/-10.2
\$50,000 to \$74,999	14.5%	+/-1.9	N	N	N	N	6.2%	+/-4.6
\$75,000 or more	9.2%	+/-1.9	N	N	N	N	2.8%	+/-3.5
Median earnings (dollars) for full-time, year-round workers:								
Male	36,746	+/-2,081	42,031	+/-6,809	79,275	+/-22,073	22,960	+/-3,234
Female	27,303	+/-1,642	29,290	+/-13,644	39,446	+/-13,637	22,197	+/-14,361

INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2006 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)								
Households	75,377	+/-4,229	673	+/-387	3,215	+/-1,011	4,343	+/-1,089
With earnings	82.7%	+/-2.4	95.5%	+/-8.1	83.1%	+/-11.8	83.5%	+/-10.1
Mean earnings (dollars)	70,916	+/-3,961	44,072	+/-17,465	104,031	+/-29,414	54,887	+/-11,467
With Social Security income	28.7%	+/-2.5	N	N	18.3%	+/-10.8	14.2%	+/-8.4
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	12,195	+/-736	12,653	+/-7,515	14,559	+/-3,949	9,726	+/-3,056
With Supplemental Security Income	5.1%	+/-1.3	N	N	N	N	N	N
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,398	+/-1,039	-	**	6,992	+/-677	12,064	+/-13
With cash public assistance income	4.7%	+/-1.3	N	N	N	N	11.4%	+/-9.8
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	4,198	+/-963	-	**	-	**	5,890	+/-4,200
With retirement income	15.5%	+/-2.0	N	N	9.1%	+/-6.2	N	N
Mean retirement income (dollars)	15,652	+/-2,224	29,854	+/-26,076	29,428	+/-25,945	N	N
With Food Stamp benefits	9.2%	+/-1.5	N	N	N	N	25.4%	+/-11.3
Median Household income (dollars)	55,215.00	+/-3,960	41,136.00	+/-19,625	67,314.00	+/-30,464	30,939.00	+/-12,458
Average number of workers per household	1.61	+/-0.08	0.99	+/-0.27	1.26	+/-0.26	1.5	+/-0.27
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS								
Population for whom poverty status is determined	206,623	+/-10,215	1,280	+/-621	6,851	+/-1,926	14,513	+/-3,286
Below 100 percent of the poverty level	11.8%	+/-2.1	N	N	8.1%	+/-6.6	31.6%	+/-14.2
100 to 199 percent of the poverty level	18.4%	+/-2.5	N	N	6.6%	+/-5.6	34.7%	+/-13.0
At or above 200 percent of the poverty level	69.8%	+/-2.5	N	N	85.3%	+/-8.1	33.7%	+/-10.0
POVERTY RATES FOR FAMILIES FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED								
All families	9.1%	+/-2.1	N	N	N	N	26.7%	+/-12.6
With related children under 18 years	9.5%	+/-2.9	N	N	N	N	29.9%	+/-15.2
With related children under 5 years only	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Married couple families	6.7%	+/-2.2	N	N	N	N	33.5%	+/-15.0
With related children under 18 years	6.1%	+/-2.5	N	N	N	N	38.7%	+/-18.8
With related children under 5 years only	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Families with female householder, no husband present	18.4%	+/-6.1	N	N	N	N	N	N
With related children under 18 years	23.3%	+/-8.4	N	N	N	N	N	N
With related children under 5 years only	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

Occupied housing units	75,377	+/-4,229	673	+/-387	3,215	+/-1,011	4,343	+/-1,089
HOUSING TENURE								
Owner-occupied housing units	55.6%	+/-2.9	34.6%	+/-25.4	58.0%	+/-16.1	30.3%	+/-11.9
Renter-occupied housing units	44.4%	+/-2.9	65.4%	+/-25.4	42.0%	+/-16.1	69.7%	+/-11.9
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	3.82	+/-0.22	2.61	+/-0.92	2.3	+/-0.55	2.96	+/-0.86
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.82	+/-0.19	1.74	+/-0.89	2.23	+/-0.66	4.6	+/-0.67
ROOMS								
1 room	5.8%	+/-1.5	N	N	1.5%	+/-2.6	2.6%	+/-4.2
2 or 3 rooms	24.2%	+/-2.5	N	N	17.1%	+/-10.0	34.7%	+/-11.6
4 or 5 rooms	40.1%	+/-3.2	N	N	52.1%	+/-14.9	33.9%	+/-15.0
6 or 7 rooms	20.8%	+/-2.4	N	N	21.3%	+/-12.7	21.9%	+/-10.6
8 or more rooms	9.0%	+/-1.8	N	N	8.0%	+/-7.1	6.8%	+/-5.0
Median number of rooms	4.5	+/-0.2	4.9	+/-1.4	4.2	+/-0.3	4.2	+/-0.7
1.01 or more occupants per room	17.9%	+/-2.0	N	N	N	N	43.0%	+/-13.0
VEHICLES AVAILABLE								
None	13.7%	+/-1.9	16.6%	+/-25.1	8.3%	+/-6.8	13.4%	+/-10.0
1 or more	86.3%	+/-1.9	83.4%	+/-25.1	91.7%	+/-6.8	86.6%	+/-10.0
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS								
No telephone service available	3.3%	+/-1.1	N	N	N	N	7.3%	+/-7.0
Linguistically isolated households	28.2%	+/-3.4	N	N	N	N	14.5%	+/-11.6
Owner-occupied housing units	41,921	+/-3,367	233	+/-183	1,864	+/-799	1,315	+/-634
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS								
Less than 30 percent	58.0%	+/-4.4	N	N	61.9%	+/-20.3	67.7%	+/-17.5
30 percent or more	42.0%	+/-4.4	N	N	38.1%	+/-20.3	32.3%	+/-17.5
Renter-occupied housing units	33,456	+/-2,738	440	+/-327	1,351	+/-654	3,028	+/-880
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS								
Less than 30 percent	54.6%	+/-4.6	52.7%	+/-39.4	83.4%	+/-16.7	36.8%	+/-15.7
30 percent or more	45.4%	+/-4.6	47.3%	+/-39.4	16.6%	+/-16.7	63.2%	+/-15.7

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

While the 2006 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2005 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas, in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
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6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.